

Hwange Waterholes & Painted Dog: 4 Days

DURATION	FROM	DESTINATION	MINIMUM
4 Days / 3 Nights	USD 5,825 per person	Zimbabwe	2 travellers

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Itinerary

1 Day 1: Arrival in Victoria Falls, transfer and check-in

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2 Day 2: Road transfer to Hwange with a scheduled stop at the

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Road transfer to Hwange with a scheduled stop at the Painted Dog Conservation Centre at Dete for the interpretive centre and rehabilitation facility. Lunch at camp. Afternoon game drive to the Kennedy and Ngamo pans; sundowners on a pan edge.

3 Day 3: Full safari day, dawn game drive, brunch, siesta, and a

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Full safari day, dawn game drive, brunch, siesta, and a long afternoon drive running into the first hour of darkness where the concession permits spotlighting. Time is spent at the pumped waterholes, where in the dry season a single pan can hold several hundred elephant in an afternoon. Optional guided bush walk with an armed professional guide.

4 Day 4: Final morning game drive and bush breakfast, then the road

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Final morning game drive and bush breakfast, then the road transfer to Victoria Falls for onward flights from mid-afternoon.

What's included

- Accommodation as per tier; all meals from dinner on Day 1 to breakfast on the final day; twice-daily game activities with a licensed guide; park and conservation fees; road transfers; bottled water in the vehicle; airport meet-and-greet

Not included

- International and domestic airfare; visas and border fees; travel and medical insurance; gratuities to guides and camp staff; premium and imported drinks; optional activities (helicopter flips
- Rafting
- Spa
- Balloon); laundry unless stated; items of a personal nature

What to bring

- Best season: Jul-Oct is the classic window
- Peak waterhole concentration and near-guaranteed elephant. Nov-Mar green season for birding
- Newborns and value rates. Pace and grading: Easy to moderate. Two long road transfers; early starts throughout. Ideal for: Clients with a long weekend plus travel days
- Photographers
- Second-time safari-goers
- Couples upgrading from ZW-07. Accommodation tiers: CLASSIC: budget-friendly park rest camps or basic tented camps. COMFORT: mid-range safari lodges and permanent tented camps
- En-suite
- Pool. LUXURY: high-end concession camps
- Private plunge pools
- Private vehicle and guide

Ready to book, or want this tailored?

Prices are per person and depend on season, group size and availability. Tell us your dates and we will confirm a firm quote, adjust the route, or combine this with another trip.

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